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HARRISON'S MESSAGE.

The President's Annual Message is Read to Both Houses of Congress.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The house met and took a recess of fifteen minutes to await the arrival of the president's message and when it reconvened the message was read by the reading clerk.

The reading of the message in the senate was commenced by Secretary McCook at 12:20 and lasted nearly an hour and a half. The senators listened to the message with more than customary manifestations of interest.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

The message to the senate and house of representatives, the reports of heads of several executive departments required by law to be submitted to me, which are herewith transmitted, and the reports of secretary-treasurer and attorney general made directly to congress, furnish a comprehensive view of the administrative work of the last fiscal year, relating to internal affairs. It would be of great advantage if these reports could have an attentive perusal by every member of congress and by all who take an interest in public affairs. Such a perusal could not fail to excite higher appreciation of the vast labor and the conservative effort which are given to the conduct of our civil administration.

The reports will, I believe, show that every question has been approached, considered, and decided from the standpoint of public duty and upon considerations affecting public interest alone.

The work of the state department during the last year has been characterized by an unusual number of important negotiations and by diplomatic results of a notable and highly beneficial character. Among these are reciprocal trade arrangements which have been concluded in exercise of powers conferred by section 3 of the tariff law with the republic of Brazil, with Spain for its West India possessions and with San Domingo. Like negotiations with other countries have been much advanced, and it is hoped that before the close of the year further definite trade arrangements of great value will be concluded.

The president reviews the Behring sea negotiations with Great Britain and said: "I am glad now to be able to announce that terms satisfactory to this government have been agreed upon and that an agreement as to the arbitrators is all that is necessary to the completion of the convention. In view of the advanced position which this government has taken upon the subject of international arbitration, this renewed expression of our adherence to this method for the settlement of disputes, such as have arisen in the Behring sea, will, I doubt not, meet with the concurrence of congress. It is gratifying to be able to state that Germany, Denmark, Italy, Austria and France, in the order named, have opened their ports to inspected American pork products. The removal of these restrictions in every instance was asked for and given solely upon the ground that we had now provided a meat inspection that should be accepted as adequate to the complete removal of the dangers, real or fancied, which had been previously urged.

"The recent political disturbances in the republic of Brazil have excited regret and solicitude. The information we possessed was too meagre to enable us to form a satisfactory assumption of supreme power by President Fonzeca, but this government did not fail to express to him its anxious solicitude for the peace of Brazil and for the maintenance of the free political institutions which had recently been established there, nor to offer our advice that great moderation should be observed in the clash of parties and the contest for leadership.

"These counsels were received in the most friendly spirit, and the latest information is that constitutional government has been re-established without bloodshed.

"The lynching at New Orleans in March last of eleven men of Italian nativity, by a mob of citizens, was a most deplorable and discreditable incident. It did not, however, have its origin in any general animosity to the Italian people, nor in any disrespect to the government of Italy, with which our relations were of the most friendly character. The fury of the mob was directed against these men as the supposed participants or accessories of the murder of a city officer. I do not allude to this to mitigate in any degree this offense against law and humanity, but only as affecting the international questions which grew out of it. It was once represented by the Italian minister that several of those whose lives had been taken by the mob, were Italian subjects and a demand was made for the punishment of the participants and for an indemnity for the families of those who were killed. It is to be regretted that the manner in which these claims were presented were not such as to promote a calm consideration of the questions involved, but this may well be attributed to the excitement and indignation which the crime naturally evoked. The views of this government as to its obligations to foreigners domiciled here were fully stated in the correspondence as well as its purpose to make an investigation of the affair with a view to determine whether there were present any circumstances that would, under such rules of duty as we had indicated, create an obligation upon the United States. The temporary absence of a minister plenipotentiary at this capital has retarded the further correspondence, but it is not doubted that a friendly conclusion is attainable. Some suggestions growing out of this unhappy incident are worthy of the attention of congress. It would, I believe, be entirely competent for congress to make offences against the treaty rights of foreigners domiciled in the United States cognizable in the federal courts. This has not, however, been done, and the federal officers and court have no power in such cases to intervene, either for the protection of a foreign citizen or for the punishment of his slayers. It seems to me to follow, in this state of law, that the officers of the state charged with the police and judicial power in such cases must in the consideration of international questions growing out of such incidents be regarded in such a sense by the federal agents as to make this government answerable for their acts in cases where it would be answerable if the United States had used its constitutional power to defend and punish crimes against treaty rights.

Speaking of the civil war in Chili, the president says: "During the pendency of this civil contest frequent indirect appeals were made to this government to extend belligerent rights to the insurgents and to give them audience to their representatives. This was declined and that policy was pursued throughout, which this government, when wrenched by civil war, so strenuously insisted upon on the part of Europe and all other nations." After reviewing the Itata incident he said: "During the progress of the war in Chili, this government tendered its good offices to bring about a peaceful adjustment, and it was at one time hoped that a good result might be reached, but in this we were disappointed. The instructions to our naval officers and to our minister at Santiago, from the first to the last of this struggle, enjoined upon them the most impartial treatment and absolute noninterference. I am satisfied that these instructions were observed and that our representatives were always watchful to use their influence impartially in the interest of humanity, and on more than one occasion did so effectively."

Speaking of the attack on the men of the Baltimore, he said: "So far as I have yet been able to learn, no other explanation of this bloody work has been suggested than that it had its origin in hostility to these men as sailors of the United States, wearing the uniform of their government, and not in any individual act or personal animosity. The attention of the Chilian government was at once called to this affair, and a statement of the facts obtained by the investigation we had conducted was submitted, accompanied by a request to be advised of any other or qualifying facts in the possession of the Chilian government that might tend to relieve this affair of the appearance of an insult to this government. The Chilian government was also advised that if such qualifying facts did not exist this government would confidently expect full and prompt reparation. The entire correspondence with the government of Chili will at an early day be submitted to congress."

The president then speaks of relations with Russia and the immense immigration from that country to this, and says: "It is estimated that over a million Jews will be forced from Russia within a few years. The Hebrew is never a beggar and has always kept the laws of the land, but the sudden transfer of such a multitude, under conditions that tend to strip them of their small accumulations and to depress their energies and courage, is neither good for them no for us."

The president referring to Minister Blair cites the refusal of the Chinese government to receive him as minister on the grounds of presumed unfriendliness, and says it seems to rest as much on the unacceptibility of our legislation as on that of the person chosen, and which, if admitted, would practically debar the selection of any representative so long as the existing laws remain in force.

He then recommended the prosecution of the work of building the Nicaragua canal and said the funds for its completion should be secured by direct appropriation from the treasury.

The general interest in the operations of the treasury department has been much augmented during the last year by reason of the conflicting predictions, which accompanied and followed the tariff and other legislation of the last congress, affecting the revenues as the results of this legislation upon the treasury, and upon the country. On the one hand it was contended that imports would so fall off as to leave the treasury bankrupt and that the prices of articles entering into the living of the people would be so enhanced as to disastrously effect their comfort and happiness, while on the other it was argued that the loss to the revenue largely the result of placing sugar on the free list would be a direct gain to the people; that the prices of the necessaries of life including those most highly protected would not be enhanced; that labor would have a larger market and the products of the farm advanced prices; while the treasury surplus and receipts would be adequate to meet the appropriations, including the large exceptional expenditures for the refunding to the states of the direct tax and the redemption of the 4½ per cent. bonds. It is not my purpose to enter at any length into a discussion of the effects of the legislation to which I have referred, but a brief examination of the statistics of the treasury and a general glance at the state of business throughout the country will, I think, satisfy any impartial inquirer that its results have disappointed the evil prophecies of its opponents and in a large measure realized the hopeful predictions of its friends. Rarely, if ever before in the history of the country, has there been a time when the proceeds of one day's labor, or the product of one farmed acre would purchase so large an amount of those things that enter into the masses of the people. I believe that a full test will develop the fact that the tariff act of the Fifty-first congress is very favorable in its average effect upon the prices of articles entering into common use. During the twelve months from October 1, 1890 to September 30, 1891 the total value of our foreign commerce (imports and exports combined) was $1,747,806,406 which was the largest of any one year in the history of the United States. The largest in any previous year was in 1890, when our commerce amounted to $1,647,139,093, and the last year exceeds this enormous aggregate by over one hundred millions. It is interesting and to some will be surprising to know that during the year ending September 30, 1891, our imports of merchandise amounted to $824,715,270, which was an increase of more than $11,000,000 over the value of the imports of the corresponding months of the preceding year, when the imports of merchandise were unusually large in anticipation of the tariff legislation then pending. The average annual value of the imports of merchandise for the ten years from 1880 to 1890, was $692,186,522 and during the year ending September 30, 1891, this annual average was exceeded by $132,528,698. The value of free imports during the twelve months ending September 30, 1891, was $118,092,387 more than the value of free imports during the corresponding twelve months of the preceding year, and there was during the same period a decrease of $106,846,508 in the value of imports of dutiable merchandise. The percentage of merchandise admitted free of duty during the year to which I have reference, the first under the new tariff was 48.18, while during the preceding twelve months, under the old tariff, the percentage was 34.27, and increase of 13.91 per cent. If we take the six months ending September 30 last, which covers the time during which sugars have been admitted free of duty, the per cent of value of merchandise imported free of duty is found to be 55.37, which is a larger percentage of free imports than during any prior fiscal year in the history of the government. If we turn to exports of merchandise, the statistics are full of gratification. The value of such exports of merchandise for the twelve months ending September 30 1891, was $923,091,136, while for the corresponding previous twelve months it was $860,177,115, an increase of $62,914,021, which is nearly three times the average annual increase of exports of merchandise during any year in the history of the government. There is certainly nothing in the condition of trade, foreign or domestic, there is certainly nothing in the condition of our people of any class, to suggest that the existing tariff and revenue legislation bears oppressively upon the people or retards the commercial development of the nation. It may be argued that our condition would be better if our tariff legislation were upon a free trade basis; but it cannot be denied that all the conditions of prosperity and of general contentment represent in a larger degree than ever before in our history, and that, too, just when it was prophecied they would be in a worse state. Agitation for radical changes in tariff and financial legislation can not help, but may seriously impede business to the prosperity of which some degree of stability in legislation is essential. I think there are conclusive evidences that the new tariff has created several great industries which will, within a few years, give employment to several hundred thousand American working men and women. In view of the somewhat overcrowded condition of the labor market of the United States every patriotic citizen should rejoice at such a result."

Speaking of financial matters, he said: "I hope the depression in the price of silver is temporary, and that a further trial of this legislation will more favorably affect it. That the increased volume of currency thus supplied for the use of the people was needed, and that beneficial results upon trade and prices have followed this legislation, I think, must be very clear to every one. Nor should it be forgotten that for every dollar of these notes issued a full dollar's worth of silver bullion is at the time deposited in the treasury as a security for its redemption. Upon this subject, as upon the tariff, my recommendation is that the existing laws be given a full trial and that our business interests be spared from the distressing influence which threats of radical changes always impart. Under existing legislation it is in the power of the treasury department to maintain that essential condition of national finance as well as of commercial prosperity—the parity in use of the coin dollar and their paper representatives. I am still of the opinion that the free coinage of silver under existing conditions would disastrously affect our business interests at home and abroad.

"The great work done in the record and pension division of the war department by Major Ainsworth, of the medical corps, and the clerks under him is entitled to honorable mention. Taking up the work with nearly 41,000 cases behind, he closed the last fiscal year without a single case left over, though the new cases had increased 52 per cent. in number over the previous year by reason of the pension legislation of the last congress.

"In the report of the postmaster general some very gratifying results are exhibited and many improvements of the service suggested. The revenues of the department show an increase of over $5,000,000, while the estimate for the year 1893 shows a surplus of receipts over expenditures. I concur in his recommendation that the free delivery system be at once extended to towns of 5,000 population. His discussion of the inadequate facilities extended under our present system to rural communities, and his suggestions with a view to give these communities a fuller participation in the benefits of the postal service are worthy of your careful consideration. It is not just that the farmer, who receives his mail at a neighboring town, should not only be compelled to send to the postoffice for it, but to pay a considerable rent for a box in which to place it, or wait his turn at a general delivery window, while the city resident has his mail brought to his door.

The report of the secretary of the navy shows a gratifying increase of new naval vessels in the service.

The report of the secretary of the interior shows that a very gratifying progress has been made in all of the bureaus, which make up that complex difficult department. The work in the bureau of Indian affairs was perhaps never so large as now by reason of the numerous negotiations which have been proceeding with the tribes for a reduction of the reservations, with the incident labor of making allotments."

The president is of the opinion that the five Indian tribes should be allowed one representative each in congress in order to give them an opportunity to present their claims and grievances.

The administration of the pension bureau has been characterized during the year by great diligence. The issuing of certificates has been proceeding at the rate of about 30,000 per month about 75 per cent. of these being under the new law. The commissioner is quite confident that there will be no call this year for a deficiency appropriation, notwithstanding the rapidity with which the work is being pushed. While these disbursements to the disabled soldiers of the great civil war are large they do not realize the great estimates of those who oppose this beneficent legislation. The secretary of the interior shows with great fullness the care that is taken to exclude fraudulent claims and also the gratifying fact that the persons to whom these pensions are going are men who rendered, not slight, but substantial war service.

The legislation of congress for the repression of polygamy has, after years of resistance on the part of the Mormons, at last brought them to the conclusion that resistance is unprofitable and unavailing. The power of congress over this subject should not be surrendered until we have satisfactory evidence that the people of the state to be created would exercise the exclusive power of the state over this subject in the same way. We cannot afford to experiment with this subject for when a state is once constituted the act is final and any mistake irretrievable. No compact in the enabling act could, in my opinion, be binding or effective.

If the establishment of the department of agriculture is regarded by anyone as a mere concession to the unenlightened demand of a worthy class of people, that impression has been most effectually removed by the great results already attained.

The inspection by this department of cattle and pork products intended for shipment abroad has been the basis of the success which has attended our efforts to secure the removal of the restrictions maintained by the European governments.

The method of appointment by the states of electors of president and vice president has recently attracted renewed interest by reason of a departure by the state of Michigan from the method which had become uniform in all the states. This I think is an unfortunate and even a threatening episode, and one that may well suggest whether the states that still give their approval to the old and prevailing method ought not secure by a constitutional amendment a practice which has had the approval of all.

He favors the selection of presidential electors in the way that has been in vogue in the different states.

SENATE ADJOURNS.

At the conclusion of the reading of the president's message the senate at 1.15 p. m. adjourned until tomorrow.

DEATH OF A PHYSICIAN.

Dr. Donaldson's Skill Proves Unavailing in His Own Case.

BALTIMORE, Dec 9.—Dr. Francis Donaldson, for many years professor of diseases of the throat and chest at the university of Maryland, and one of the most distinguished physicians in Baltimore, died this morning in the ninety-sixth year of age. He had been sick for several months past. Dr. Donaldson was a graduate of the university of Maryland and had also visited the greatest European centres of medical education. He wrote a large number of articles for medical periodicals and was a member of the leading medical societies of the country.

CONVENTION WITH GERMANY.

President Harrison Expected Soon to Proclaim Its Conclusion.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—While it is impossible to obtain an official acknowledgment to that effect, it is known that a commercial convention under the reciprocity clause of the McKinley act has been practically concluded between Germany and the United States and that the president will soon issue a proclamation announcing the fact. The convention contemplates the free importation of Germany's sugar into the United States, and the reduction of duty on American cereals imported into Germany from 5 marks to 3½ marks.

INFLUENZA ABROAD.

Baron Mohenheim Down With It—Innocent of Crime.

PARIS, Dec. 9.—Among the prominent persons at present suffering from influenza is Baron Mohenheim, the Russian embassador to France. He has a mild attack, similar to the one from which his wife has just recovered. The man arrested on suspicion of murdering Baroness Deland is thought to be innocent. He is a bookkeeper named Middy and the evidence so far collected against him shows that it is improbable that he committed the crime. The police officials are more puzzled than ever.

"NOT GUILTY"

Is the Plea Rev. Ditton Makes to the Charge of Murder.

DUBLIN, Dec. 9.—The Rev. Samuel G. Ditton and wife, charged with manslaughter in causing the death of a boy named Brown, an inmate of the Curragh orphanage in Kildare, were arraigned for their trial today. The counsel for the prisoner applied for leave to appeal the cases to the court of assizes in order to obtain delays so as to more thoroughly prepare the cases before going to trial. The request was refused and the prisoners thereupon pleaded not guilty.

Washington News.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The Chilian minister had an audience with Secretary Blaine today at which the matter of indemnity for the killing of the Baltimore's sailors was further discussed.

The Indian bureau has no advices of the reported outbreak of the Cheyennes and the story is not credited.

The National Bar association has begun its fourth annual meeting here today. Chas. Marshall, of Maryland, called the meeting to order. Reports of officers and committees were received and then the meeting adjourned.

Secretary Foster Improving.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Secretary Foster was reported still improving this morning. His temperature was normal and his appetite good and his early recovery is now confidently expected.

SIX LIVES LOST.

A Disastrous Fire in Louisville Results as Above—A Cleveland Theater Burned.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 9.—Six lives were lost in the disastrous fire at the candy and fireworks factory of Moore & Co., No. 517 West Main street at 8 o'clock this morning. The horrors of last night's conflagrations were more than duplicated. The candy and fireworks factory, in which five young girls and one man were burned to death, is a four story building on the north side of the street. The firm was getting ready for the Christmas trade and employed an extra number of girls to wrap and pack confections. They were all at work on the fourth floor. The names of the victims are: Charles Kimmel, foreman, he was thirty years of age and unmarried, Barbara Bell, Clara Rausch, Ida Parker, Anna Lockhart and Anna Dickey. Those injured were: Lillie Greenleaf, cut on side of head and bruised about the body. Tracy Holihans, head and hands burned and bruised, Katie McGarvey, severely and perhaps fatally injured internally; Geo. King, bruised and burned about the face and hands. The origin of the fire is unknown. At 8 o'clock there was a tremendous explosion from the second floor. There was a crash of glass and thousands of firecrackers roared and cracked, while almost countless sky rockets and Roman candles flew hissing hither and thither across the street and into the air. A moment later a shot of flame burst from the windows. Before the employes knew of their danger the ceilings burst and the panic-stricken ran to the stairways. Three of them, Lillie Greenwell, Tracy Holihans and Katie McGarvey, reached the third floor just as the stairs leading to the fourth floor caught fire. Behind them came the five other girls, but before they could reach the bottom a wall of fire cut off their progress and they were driven back to the top, where they were burned to death. Fifteen or twenty brave men rushed into the building at one time in endeavoring to rescue them but were driven back by the fierce heat. The cries of the imprisoned girls finally ceased and the floors fell, one after another until finally nothing was left of the building but the tottering walls. In the rear were assembled the mothers and fathers of some of the girls who were burned to death inside, and their manifestations of grief were pitiable in the extreme. They implored the firemen to save their children. They had great trouble in keeping some of the more frenzied ones from rushing into the flames.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Dec. 9.—A disastrous fire visited this city last night, destroying the block of buildings on the north side of Main street, between Sixth and Seventh streets. Nearly every store and the stock of the Boone Paper company were destroyed, entailing a loss of $65,000. At 2.35 o'clock this morning an explosion occurred in the adjoining building, occupied by Bamberger, Strong & Co. The shaky walls crumbled and another fire began, which in comparison made the other insignificant. By the time it was subdued the stores of Bamberger, Strong & Co., Bliss, Wilson & Co., Johan Boeke & Sons, and Miller, Wolfolk, Payne & Co. had been gutted. The loss will fall not far short of $400,000. Two firemen, Capt. John Sweeny and Thomas Moore, who were in the building when the explosion occurred, are missing and are supposed to have perished.

A report has just come from the fire that four firemen lost their lives by falling walls at the Boone printing-house fire this morning. Their names are Sylvester Hall, Tim Moore, Will Davis and — Baker. They are missing at this writing and it is almost certain they are killed.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 9.—H. R. Jacob's Cleveland theatre was destroyed by fire early this morning, entailing a loss of about $75,000. The flames started in the basement shortly after 6 o'clock and had gained considerable headway before they were discovered. Kennedy's "White Slave" company, which was playing a week's engagement at the theatre, suffered a loss of about $10,000.

WAUKESHA, Wis., Dec. 9.—The American house, a popular hotel here, was destroyed by fire at 1 o'clock this morning. All the guests escaped without injury. Loss, $12,000, insured.

A COAL FAMINE.

The Northwestern States on the Eve of One.

MASON CITY, Iowa, Dec. 9.—G. T. Boerhecker, the leading wholesale coal dealer of Iowa, said last night that there is not a week's supply of soft coal in the hands of the dealers in the states of Iowa, Dakota, Minnesota, Illinois, Kansas and Nebraska. Miners everywhere are now working on half time on account of the scarcity of cars. The fault cannot be attributed to negligence of the railroad companies, but the unprecedented development of the western country, this story goes, is the cause of the danger of a coal famine.

SURRENDERS TO WHISKY.

James A. Bradley Sells Asbury Park to the Citizens.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—From present appearances the founder of Asbury Park, N. J. James A. Bradley, is getting tired of fighting the liquor dealers in his temperance town and for a consideration is willing to get away from it. A special meeting of the borough commissioners was held in Asbury Park on Monday night, when Mr. Bradley submitted a proposition to sell to the town the half mile of beach front including the bathing houses, bathe the two lakes, the entire sewer system and his interest in the bridges connecting Ocean Grove to Asbury Park, for $150,000. The only restriction he places upon the sale is that the beach be kept forever free from nuisances and fakirs. The commissioners will ask the legislature to empower them to bond the town for the amount required.

THE DYNAMITER FOUND.

Russell Sage Identifies the Man Who Threw the Bomb—His Name is Phillips.

NEW YORK, Dec 9.—Russell Sage last night identified a photograph shown him by a reporter as the likeness of the man who walked into his office last Friday, demanded $1,250,000 and upon refusal dropped a dynamite cartridge. The photograph was obtained from a gentleman who had worked with the man, of whom the picture was a likeness. It was taken to Mr. Sage's home for the purpose of having that gentleman identify it, if possible. Mr. Sage, it was said, could not be seen personally, but Mrs Sage consented to show the photograph to her husband. It was explained to her that the picture was taken about six years ago, and was the man who is supposed to have committed the deed. When Mrs. Sage reappeared, she said: "I have shown the photograph to Mr. Sage. On first glance the identification seemed to flash across his mind and he said, 'That's the man.' He looked carefully at the picture and studied it for a few minutes and I replied that that likeness was taken six years ago. 'Yes,' said he, 'that's the man who committed the deed back six years and I would say that it was his portrait.' He seemed to be very positive in this."

The photograph is that of John Herbert Phillips, who was at one time assistant bookkeeper for the Hanover bank, of this city, but was forced to leave on account of the discovery of peculations. He was very eccentric and had crazy ideas about dividing up wealth. His fellow clerks regarded him as demented. They say that the head of the dynamiter strongly resembles that of Phillips. Since his discharge from the bank, Phillips has traveled around the country and has been engaged in numerous escapades.

THE PRIZE RING.

Slavin and Mitchell Set Sail for America.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Previous to the departure from this city of Slavin and Mitchell, where they will sail on the steamer Britannica for America, the former said that he would forfeit almost everything to get a match with Sullivan. He was afraid, however, that the journey would prove fruitless. Mitchell is equally as determined to get on a fight with Corbett. Mitchell, it is said, brings with him letters of credit and a big sum of money, the bulk of which is furnished by an Australian syndicate, headed by George Pize, who are prepared to back Slavin for $100,000.

ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.

Herman Kraatz in Jail for the Murder of Mrs. Lengenhager.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Herman Kraatz was yesterday ordered to be held without bail, by the grand jury, on suspicion of being connected with the murder of Mrs. Lengenhager and her son George, who were found dead in the Clark street saloon on the morning of November 13. Two witnesses practically identified Kraatz as one of two men who entered the saloon late on the night of the tragedy, and Kraatz, by his own contradictory testimony, did not lessen the suspicion that he knows how the mother and son came to their deaths.

SURRENDERED HIMSELF.

General Velasquez Throws Himself on Chilian Mercy.

VALPARAISO, Dec. 9.—General Velasquez, who was minister of war under the Balmaceda regime and who upon the fall of Valparaiso, sought temporary refuge in the German legation, left that asylum some time ago and has since been in hiding. He surrendered himself to the military tribunal yesterday afternoon, having received guarantees from Intendente Lira, of Santiago, that he would be dealt with fairly.

VIRGINIA'S PENSIONER.

Mrs. Jeff Davis to be Cared For By the State.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 9.—A proposition was proposed to the city council Monday night to allow Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of the president of the Confederacy, a residence for the remainder of her life. It is to be in this city and is not to cost over $25,000. A proposition is soon to be presented to the legislature proposing to allow Mrs. Davis a pension of $1,000 a year during her life.

GOES TO NEW YORK.

Sunol on Her Way to Her New Home.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Charles Marvin and the trotting queen, "Sunol," were in Chicago all yesterday. They stopped long enough to give the mare some relief from the car motion which she has not relished and left on the Lake Shore road for New York at 7.15 p. m. Robert Bonner will receive his fourth champion trotter tomorrow morning.

MUST STAY IN JAIL.

Actor Curtis' Petition for Release on Bail Is Refused.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 9.—Chief Justice Beatty, of the supreme court of California, yesterday denied the application of Actor M. B. Curtis "Samuel of Posen," to be admitted to bail, pending trial for the murder of Policeman Grant.

BROKAW ACQUITTED.

Judge Gresham Quickly Dismisses the Mail-Robbery Case.—U. S. Court Still in Session—Legal Pickups.

The United States court continues in session and will probably hold over tomorrow as the civil case of McConnell vs. Sheriff Reed which was called up yesterday afternoon is progressing slowly. The examination of witnesses began only this afternoon. The plaintiff claims $5,000 damages for false imprisonment, the defendant having locked McConnell up on suspicion of stealing a horse.

Samuel Brokaw, charged with cutting and stealing United States mail pouches while acting as postal clerk on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad, was called in the United States court. Under the direction of the court the jury returned a verdict of acquittal in the consolidated cases against Brokaw. The action of the court was based on the ground that Brokaw was not in the employ of the government, and, as criminal statutes cannot be extended by construction, he could not be indicted under the section of the statute on which the indictments rested. This is a case in which the citizens of this city and many other cities, for that matter, were much interested. Mr. Brokaw had many friends who did not believe him guilty, and they will be greatly pleased to hear of his acquittal. Considerable money was tied up in banks by the thefts of which Brokaw was accused, but what effect the acquittal will have on such money is not known.

NEWS IN THE COURTS.

Jos. and John Ryan, two industrious farm boys living in Goar Creek, came to the city yesterday to have a "good time." They did not know any better perhaps then but they do now. They carried back with them to their rural home this morning two very swelled heads, two very sick stomachs and two emaciated purses. All the result of trying to be "smart" by filling themselves with very tough tanglefoot. The boys paid $21 over another kind of a bar as a result of their indiscretion. It was in 'Squire Wilkinson's court.

The county commissioners have appointed Henry Rembke janitor of the court house for two years. He gets $50 a month.

The case of Carl Babb for provoking Andy M. Yahney has been appealed from the court of Justice Ryan to the circuit court.

Before Justice Wilkinson August Horstmeyer was arraigned for disturbing the condition of a road by removing dirt. Supervisor Alexander Bochmeyer, of Wayne township, entered the charge and the case was continued until Monday, December 14.

John Arnold was arrested yesterday afternoon by Marshal Franke for stealing a set of harness from William Finney. He was taken before Justice Wilkinson, and waiving examination, was bound over to the circuit court in the sum of $300.

Nathaniel Scott sues George W. Brandenberry et al to replevin twenty bushels of wheat, fifty bushels of oats, a single harness, two pigs, a cow, twenty-three bushels of potatoes, a buggy, five tons of hay and $50 damages. J. M. Robinson is attorney for the plaintiff.

The residents of Eel River township have sent in a petition to the county commissioners, signed by 250 names, protesting against the joint city and county erection of a new court house, and stating in said petition that they will refuse to support for any office of trust the promoters of such a measure.

The board of county commissioners have instructed Auditor Glutting to refund to M. W. Simons $7,541.72, the amount of taxes with interest paid on the Godfrey lands. The supreme court declared that the Indian reservation was not taxable, and the commissioners were forced to refund the money paid by the late O. A. Simons and others to secure a tax lien on the property.

Philip Miller sues the Pennsylvania railroad company for $15,000 damages. On the 11th of May, 1890, the plaintiff, while at work in the shops of the company, was injured and ruptured by a falling log, and he alleges it was through the negligence of the company in not providing a sufficient force of men to handle the timber. W. G. and Henry Colerick are attorneys for Mr. Miller.

The case of Peter Vonches vs the Prudential Insurance company has been certified to the circuit court from Justice Ryan's docket. Trial was had once and judgment rendered against defendant. An application for a new trial was granted and plaintiff filed an amended report, fixing the demand at $200, thus taking the case out of the jurisdiction of a justice's court.

Chief Justice Elliott of the Indiana supreme court, has handed down a decision, the other judges concurring, in which it was decided that a wife has a perfect right to sue for damages against any one who alienates her husband's affections. This is contrary to the old common law and the usual custom in this country, the man alone being accorded the prerogative of obtaining a money recompense for his wife's love. The case decided was an appeal from the circuit court of Dearborn county, wherein the judge knocked out a suit for $25,000 damages on a demurrer. The principals in the case were Leah Haynes, plaintiff and Flora Nowlin, defendant, the former charging the latter with taking away her husband from her and the court held on the demurrer that the plaintiff had no grounds for action.

WEDDINGS GALORE.

The Root-Rogall and Gumpper-Neirelter Nuptials This Afternoon—Other Weddings Chronicled.

Promptly at 5 o'clock this afternoon the residence of W. S. Bash was the scene of a pretty wedding, the contracting parties of which were Darwin S. Root and Miss Anna Rogall. Rev. Samuel Wagenhals, pastor of the English Lutheran church, pronounced the words which made them man and wife, the ceremony being performed in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends. After an elaborate bridal dinner Mr. and Mrs. Root will start on a wedding journey, leaving on the 5 o'clock train for Chicago, from whence, after a brief stay, they will depart for Washington and other eastern cities. The bride and groom are well known in society circles, the former as the soprano of Trinity Lutheran church, and the latter as a rising young lumber merchant. The couple were the recipients of numerous elegant and costly presents from home and abroad. Mr. and Mrs. Root will reside on East Wayne street.

Miss Emma L., the beautiful and interesting daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Neirelter, of 269 West Washington street, this afternoon became the bride of Charles H. Gumpper, Rev. Schaaf, of Huntington, being the officiating clergyman, assisted by Rev. Zartman, of this city. The wedding was quietly solemnized, without any attempt at display, and was performed at the bride's home in the presence of only a few friends and relatives. The groom is a popular young man, who is associated with the bride's father in the insurance business. Mr. and Mrs. Gumpper leave at 5 o'clock this evening for Chicago and other points and upon their return they will make their home for some time with the bride's parents.

Last evening, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Tapp, 13 Ohio street, occurred the marriage of their pretty daughter, Minnie, to G. W. McKee, the popular subscription solicitor of the News. Rev. Dr. Moffat performed the ceremony, in the presence of a number of friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. McKee left last evening for Kentucky on a two weeks' wedding trip and upon their return they will be "at home" to their friends at 13 Ohio street.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Burchell Moore to Miss Lillian Southard Bayless, which will occur at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bayless, Kansas City, Kan., at 5 p. m., Tuesday, Dec. 22. The young couple will be at home to their friends at 420 Washington avenue, Kansas City. The bride-elect made frequent visits to this city. Ernest Shade, a cousin of Miss Mamie Keel, of this city, who lives with the Bayless family, will be married the same day in the forenoon, and Miss Keel, who is at present in Kansas City on a visit, will attend both weddings. Miss Keel will be bridesmaid at one of the weddings.

Announcement is quietly made of the approaching marriage of Miss M[illegible] daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Ma[illegible] to Darwin Myers, the ceremony to be performed probably New Year's eve.

At 7:30 last evening at the B[illegible] street M. E. parsonage were married Edward Moody and Lena Creerer, the ceremony being performed by Rev. W. M. Van Slyke. Ed is well known as an attache of engine house No. [illegible]. The happy pair will reside in the Pixley block.

MARRIED TO GET HIS MONEY.

Why an Eighteen-Year-Old Indiana Girl Wedded a Man Nearly Ninety.

LEAVENWORTH, Ind., Dec. 9.—A marriage that has set the whole country side a talking occurred near English last night. Felix Bohannan, eighty-six years old, became the husband of eighteen-year-old Americus Legg. Ever since the bride was a toddling baby the old gentleman has been in love with her, but realizing the vast difference in their ages avoided an effort to make her his wife, even after she became a young lady, until recently. He had given her a fine education and treated her as his daughter, her parents being very poor. Not long since he made a will giving Miss Legg a large portion of his $160,000 estate. Hearing that his relatives would contest the will the old gentleman induced the girl to marry him, and has destroyed the will, so that the girl will come into full possession.

IN A STATE OF PANIC.

Hamburg's Death Rate Per Week Increasing Enormously.

BERLIN, Dec. 9.—It is reported that there have been several thousand cases of influenza in this city during the past week and thirty of these cases resulted fatally. The people of Hamburg are in a state of panic, owing to the spread of influenza there. The death rate during the past week was 200 above the average.

Suit Against Dun & Co. for $10,000.

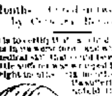
LAFAYETTE, Dec. 9.—The Echo Music company, John Kensey and Joseph Pauley proprietors, this evening filed a $10,000 damage suit against Dun's Mercantile agency, alleging that its business has been greatly injured by reason of an untruthful and libelous report made by the local agent covering the financial standing of the company. The plaintiffs also procured an attachment, and the sheriff levied upon the books and office furniture of the agency, but the understanding is this will not interfere with the agent's use of the papers.

James Madden the plumber, will go to Chicago on business this evening.

WORST FORM ECZEMA

Baffled Best Medical Skill for Eight Months—Cured in two months by Cuticura Remedies.

This is to certify that my child [illegible] Eczema in its worst form [illegible] best medical skill that could be procured [illegible]. The little sufferer was wrapped [illegible] least eight months [illegible]



could only say "Well done." [illegible] known far and wide and everybody was much surprised. But thanks to the Cuticura Remedies. Could there be anything [illegible] would cause [illegible] the little innocents [illegible] at hand. (See portrait herewith.) J. A. Sthales, Barber [illegible]

A child was brought to me with chronic eczema that had defied splendid treatment from many good doctors. [illegible] M. D. should have continued similar treatment, but thought it useless. So put Robt Cuticura. The child is well. [illegible]

Cuticura Resolvent

The new blood and skin purifier and finally the Cuticura, the great skin cure, and Cuticura Soap, the exquisite skin beautifier, externally, instantly relieve and speedily cure every disease and humor of the skin, scalp and blood, with loss of hair, from infancy to age, from pimples to scrofula.

Sold everywhere. Price, Cuticura, 50c.; Soap, 25c.; Resolvent, $1. Prepared by the Potter Drug and Chemical Corporation, Boston.

Send for "How to Cure Skin Diseases," 64 pages, 50 illustrations, and 100 testimonials.

BABY'S Skin and scalp purified and beautified by Cuticura Soap. Absolutely pure.

WEAK, PAINFUL BACKS, Kidney and Uterine Pains and Weaknesses relieved in one minute by the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster, the only instantaneous pain-killing plaster.

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BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 9, 1891

OUR CIRCULATION.

State of Indiana, Allen county, ss: Personally appeared before me, clerk of the Allen circuit court, Joe F. Davis, business manager of The Fort Wayne Sentinel, who makes oath that the actual number of copies of The Daily Sentinel delivered to subscribers and sold to newsboys and newsagents during the week ending Dec. 5, was as follows:

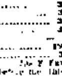
Monday, Nov. 30	3,205
Tuesday, Dec. 1	3,213
Wednesday, Dec. 2	3,186
Thursday, Dec. 3	3,212
Friday, Dec. 4	3,223
Saturday, Dec. 5	3,233
Total for the week	19,273
Average for the week	3,212

Joe F. Davis.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of December, 1891.

Daniel W. Souder, Clerk.

THIS DAY IN THE PAST.



1608—[illegible] John Milton, the poet, born in London; died there 1674.

1641—Sir Anthony Vandyke, Flemish painter, died in London; born in Antwerp 1599.

[illegible]—Battle of [illegible], first victory of the [illegible] in securing their independence.

1864—The "Sand Creek Massacre," so called by "Spectators," but known to the far west as "Chivington's Victory;" the First Colorado cavalry, led by Colonel J. M. Chivington, massacred 500 Indians. Battle of Coyle's Plantation and Monteith Swamp, Ga., by Fourteenth corps on Sherman's left wing.

1882—John W. Forney, editor and politician, died; born 1817.

1888—A [illegible] dedicated by Adelina Patti, [illegible] at Harrington and others [illegible] in ensuing conversation with their presence.

TONIGHT.

METHODIST REVIVAL—Union services at Berry street M. E. church.

PRAYER MEETINGS at the different city churches.

B. H. Y. M. C. A. Cottage meeting at the home of William Littlejohn, 14 Poplar street.

WORLD'S MUSEUM—"The Confederate Spy" and Curio Hall attractions.

LODGES—Maumee No. 30, A. O. U. W.

EMMETT DRAMATIC CLUB—Meet for rehearsal.

PRINCESS RINK—Roller skating.

LODGES—Loyal, K. of P.; Patriarchal Circle; Concordia, 22, I. O. O. F.; Order of Elks; Knights of Golden Eagle; Maumee Lodge No. 30, A. O. U. W.

The Sunday rest league in this city is dead and buried.

Isaac Bruley, the first democratic county commissioner ever elected in Union county in this state, has been installed in office.

It is very evident that the New York Herald is preparing to oppose Mr. Cleveland's election, even if he shall be the choice of New York's democracy in convention.

Representative Cooper, of Indiana, proposes to renew his fight on Pension Commissioner Raum in this congress. He led the fight ably in the last congress and now announces he will keep it up until Raum is removed.

The city of St. Paul is making a big effort to capture the democratic national convention but she can't get it. The next president and vice president of the United States will be first named in Indianapolis, the capitol of the Hoosier state.

There is a lively war in Wabash between the barbers. All the shops but one are in the union, and in their efforts to compel the one shop to adopt the union scale, the union barbers have cut the price of shaving from ten to five cents, and hair cutting from twenty-five to ten cents. Both sides appear to be determined.

The late W. J. Florence, the comedian, was reputed a wit of great rarity, but he was a philosopher as well. Once he preached a temperance sermon, with a moral several feet thick when in answer to a friend he wrote: "One gallon of whisky costs about $3, and contains about sixty-five fifteen cent drinks. Now, if you must drink, buy a gallon and make your wife the barkeeper. When you are dry give her fifteen cents for a drink, and when the whisky is gone she will have, after paying for it, $6.75 left, and every gallon thereafter will yield the same profit. The money she should put away, so that when you have become an inebriate, unable to support yourself and shunned by every respectable man, your wife may have money enough to keep you until your time comes to fill a drunkard's grave."

The victims of rum are numbered by the hundreds and thousands and every year hundreds and thousands of them go down to ruin and death. Many brilliant lives are wrecked because they are slaves to drink and cannot give it up. A sad and forcible case comes from Westville, Ind. Dr. W. F. Standiford was at one time a successful practitioner at that place. An uncontrollable appetite for strong drink seized him and his practice gradually diminished. That he might recover from the effects of his debauches he contracted the morphine habit. Two years ago he removed to Chicago, hoping that in his new surroundings he might be able to overcome his habits and build up a practice. In this he was unsuccessful and he finally was induced to go to Dwight for treatment. He was discharged from Dr. Keeley's institution May last as cured. In a short time, however, he fell back into his old habit of using morphine and later on began to drink again. So helpless a slave of these habits did he become that he is said to have taken a quart and a half of whisky and ten grains of morphine daily. Last Saturday night while he was walking on the street in Chicago he fell to the sidewalk. He was taken unconscious to his home, where he died in a short time.

The sub-treasury at New York has succeeded in ridding itself of part of the accumulation of pennies which a short time ago threatened to crowd all its vaults. The penny-in-the-slot machines were responsible for the lumping of the pennies there, the headquarters of the companies owning them being, as a rule, in that city, and the receipts of the machines being forwarded there in due course, thus draining a good share of the cents from the parts of the country infested by the machines. On Nov. 20 the sub-treasury had $160,000 in pennies stored away in its strong rooms. That meant a dead weight of money of thirty-six tons, a great deal more than was wanted. Since then the efforts of the sub-treasury have resulted in forcing the establishment of a good share of the cumbrous metal. Up to Saturday night $60,000 in pennies had been shipped. Monday $10,000 more was sent to other cities. Arrangements have been made to get rid of $25,000 more in the next few days. As will be seen, the sub-treasury stock has been lessened half and twenty tons of money have been sent out of New York.

That Mr. Crisp is a democrat and in line with his party on the most important questions of the day is abundantly proved by the following frank statement of his views in response to an enquiry by the New York World: "The committee on ways and means have spent months of restless days and sleepless nights trying to find out what will give relief to the farmers of this country. I can suggest a plan of relief in five minutes. Modify the existing tariff laws, reduce taxation, permit some reasonable competition in the market, destroy trusts, accord equal rights to all and special privileges to none. Do these things and you will help him. Give the farmer free salt. That would help a little. You give it to the fisherman on the coast of Maine and on the coast of Massachusetts, why not give it to the farmer? Give him free bagging in which the farmer of the west sacks his corn and with which the farmer in the south wraps his cotton. Give him free iron ties with which in the south he binds his cotton bales, and with which in the west he bales his hay. Give him some reduction on his hats, on his woolen clothes and on his cotton goods. In that way, and in that way only, can you benefit the great mass of the farmers of the south and west. You can not increase the price of their products by protective tariff duties, but you can decrease to them the cost of production and living by reducing the tariff on those articles used to make their crops and on those articles of necessity which all families must use."

HARRISON'S MESSAGE.

The annual message of President Harrison, which was submitted to congress today, is published in the telegraph columns of The Sentinel, and our readers can peruse it and draw from it their own conclusion as to the merits of the recommendations which he makes to congress.

It is, without doubt, an able state paper. Many of his recommendations will commend themselves to all. Although opposed politically to President Harrison The Sentinel believes him to be honest in his convictions and takes pleasure in laying before its readers his message.

PRE-HISTORIC RACE.

Relics Found by Geologists in Southern Indiana.

The recent visit to Hanover, Ind., of geologists representing the Smithsonian institution, and the Columbian exhibition, in search of pre-historic relics, has had the effect to stimulate local savants, several of whom have of late been exploring the creek leading to Butler's Falls, east of Hanover, and other points on the Indiana and Kentucky shores of the Ohio river, with considerable success. On Saturday last a party of students spent the afternoon searching for arrow and spear heads, securing a numberless variety of specimens, ranging in length from one-half an inch to six inches, many of which are remarkable for beauty and symmetry of form. It is evident from their appearance that the manufacturers of these relics were skilled in the use of tools, as the facts on each side of the specimens are as perfectly and geometrically cut as those of a diamond. The clippings or fragments of flint made in the manufacture of spear and arrow heads abound there in countless numbers in the sand and earth along the shore of the river, and at a point a short distance above Madison they could be gathered by the car load.

Professor Young, of Hanover college, who has paid no little attention to the subject of pre-historic relics, found in that neighborhood, is of the opinion that the country thereabouts fairly teemed with a race of which no authentic history exists, and that the manufacture of spear heads, arrow heads, copper utensils and pottery, was the chief occupation of this mysterious people. It is a singular fact that, although tons upon tons of these spear and arrow head clippings may be found there, the only strata of flint of the kind ever discovered in the United States are those at Black Rock, a few miles east of Buffalo, N. Y.

LIKE A GHOST.

Mrs. Cleveland Said to be a Mere Shadow of Her Former Self.

Lakewood, N. J., Dec. 9.—It is learned that Mrs. Cleveland has not, as it was hoped, received real benefit from her stay here. She is in fact, hardly as well as when she arrived ten days ago. A trained nurse is still on duty. Mrs. Cleveland lives almost exclusively on milk and wine. When she and her distinguished husband drive, Mrs. Cleveland is muffled in furs, cloth leggings and wraps and her husband's strong right arm is at her back for support. She looks like a ghost—colorless, blue lipped, hollowed eyes and with sunken cheeks.

The Boycott Lifted.

Milwaukee, Dec. 9.—At a conference held here yesterday between members of the Brewers' association and John Mueller of Cleveland, organizer of the National Brewers' Union, an agreement was reached and it was decided that the boycott on Milwaukee beer would be declared off Monday next. By the terms of agreement employes of the breweries will be allowed to form a union.

"Experience is the best teacher." This is admirably illustrated, when persons try Salvation Oil for rheumatism or neuralgia. It always effects a cure. Price 25 cents a bottle.

Josh Billings' Almanac says:—"About this time look out for cold weather." And he should have added: Keep Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in readiness.

Another newspaper is imminent at Richmond.

COUNCIL'S CONFAB.

A Short Session—Routine Business Sent Through With a Rush—Opening Lake Avenue.

There was not much of interest at the council meeting last evening as the business was of a routine nature and the fourteen councilmen present pushed it through with alacrity. Street Commissioner Munson's pay roll amounting to $379.75, and numerous other bills, were read and approved.

John J. Welch and fourteen others assessed for the widening of High street, represented that the expenses of the city commissioners for services rendered should be paid out of the city treasury and asked that the benefits be reduced to that extent. Referred to city attorney.

J. H. White asked that he be allowed $61.92 for flagstone placed at the corner of Wayne and Clinton streets. Referred to the committee on streets.

William F. Ortlieb asked that the time for completing the sidewalks on Columbia street and Glasgow avenue also for grading Water street be extended to May 12, 1892. Granted.

Chief of Police Wilkinson reported that during the month of November electric lights were found not burning 1314 hours. The sum of $25.73 was deducted from the electric company's bill.

The city commissioners reported in favor of opening Lake avenue to Lakeside, which is at present the Maysville road. The Maumee avenue gravel road company, through its attorneys, Morris, Bell, Barrett & Morris, entered an objection on the grounds that it was not lawful to thus absorb the road, it was not in the city and the commissioners were interested tax payers. Referred to the committee on streets and city attorney.

The school board having lately forbidden scholars entering the school building before the first tap of the last bell, and as there was much objection on the part of parents, it was desired by the council that the board of education confer with the school board.

A resolution to dispense with the health officer's assistant was lost.

STATE NEWS.

Ladies of Winchester have organized a Woman's club. The membership is limited to forty.

Revenue agents have seized 2,400 gallons of "crooked" brandy in Dubois and Spencer counties.

John Perry, of Brazil annually becomes insane, in which condition he remains several months.

Mrs. E. E. Ellis, of Westfield, is dead. She was a noted Christian worker and the founder of the orphans' asylum at Westfield.

Miss Flora, aged seventeen, daughter of State Senator Stanley W. Edwin, of Madison county, and Wesley C. Lowe eloped and were married.

M. Ungerleider, a prosperous manufacturer of Evansville, has closed out his business interests to accept a call as rabbi of the Jewish congregation at Paducah, Ky.

The new $200,000 court house at Laporte has been appropriately dedicated, the G. A. R. having charge of the services. Governor Chase delivered the principal address.

Harry Crowe, of Valparaiso, who died aged ninety-seven, claimed to have been a drummer boy in the war of 1812. He also served in the Mexican war and in the war of the rebellion.

Robert Byerle, aged thirty-five and unmarried, threw himself under a train at Monon and was killed. The cause is attributed to disappointment in love. His remains were transferred to care of relatives at Bedford.

The state Y. W. C. A., in session at Lafayette, elected Mrs. Flora Laughlin, of Greencastle, president, Miss Laura Arnold, of East Chicago, vice-president, Miss Miriam Harrison, of Richmond, secretary, and Miss Kate Austin, of Valparaiso, treasurer.

Mrs. Annie Ingle, of Odon, who eloped with Burt Lowry on the evening following her marriage, has returned to her old home and is desirous of a reconciliation. Her husband, however, is threatening to prosecute her for larceny, inasmuch as she carried off his ready money. Lowry remains away, as Ingle has sworn to kill him on sight.

We have sold Ely's Cream Balm about three years, and have recommended its use in more than a hundred special cases of catarrh. The unanimous answer to our inquiries is, "It's the best remedy that I have ever used." Our experience is, that where parties continued its use, it never fails to cure.—J. H. Montgomery & Co., Druggists, Decorah, Iowa.

When I began using Ely's Cream Balm my catarrh was so bad I had headache the whole time and discharged a large amount of filthy matter. That has almost entirely disappeared and I have not had headache since.—J. H. Sommers, Stepney, Conn.

As a result of a quarrel at Medora, John Wayman shot Frank Wheeler, injuring him for life.

Whooping Cough.

There is no danger from whooping cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given. It keeps the cough loose and makes expectoration easy. Twenty-five and fifty cent bottles for sale by druggists.

Improvements costing [illegible] will be added to the Anderson water works.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Sampson Benham, aged eighty-three, of Union county, is dead of paralysis.

"Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" Has been used over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays pain, cures wind colic, regulates the bowels, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. For sale by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. 25c a bottle. Jan 27-ly

LOCAL LINES.

Local lodge will meet this evening.

Wayne castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle will hold a meeting this evening.

The Fort Wayne Turnverein will give a social hop at their hall next Tuesday evening.

Dr. Moffat left last evening for Marion, Ind., where he will spend a few days. He will return Saturday evening, occupying his pulpit Sunday.

Louis Stetter, of Nuttinger avenue, whose foot was recently mashed by a heavy piece of timber falling upon it, is better. It will be several weeks before he can use the injured foot.

Special Pension Examiner Clark Stanton who has charge of this district investigated several claims this month. He is on the warpath after some persons who have been making too free with the pension laws.

W. H. Long and wife, living three miles west of Martinsville, Ind., are the parents of a perfectly formed child, which weighs but one pound, and is but eight inches long. The babe is hale and hearty, and bids fair to live to an average age.

The well known peanut merchant who for several years conducted a stand at the southeast corner of Calhoun and Columbia streets has rented the store room formerly occupied by Mrs. Malloy, the milliner. He will establish there a candy and nut business on a large scale.

The South Wayne reading club met at the residence of Mrs. A. S. Bond yesterday. The members are Mesdames H. W. Nuda, J. M. Kuhns, E. G. Evans, A. S. Bond, and Misses Jennie Nindle, Anna Bond and Tracy Gould. The ladies are reading "The Talisman."

County Superintendent Felts is sending out notices for the Allen county institute which will open on the 21st inst. at 1 p. m. and close on the 24th with evening exercises. He has issued an order for the schools to be closed during the session and urges upon teachers the importance of being present.

Yesterday Messrs. L. L. Daugherty and H. Daugherty, of Wabash, were in the city, and before they left were the purchasers of two valuable mares. The purchases were made of Rockhill Bros. & Fleming. The price paid by the Messrs. Daugherty for these mares was $2,000. The animals will be taken to their stock farm in Wabash county, and next year will be bred to Pocm, 2:10.

The following officers of St. Mary's lodge No. 14 have been elected for the ensuing year: James Smith, worthy master; John Ridley, S. W.; S. H. Bradshaw, J. W.; J. H. Roberts, treasurer; Thomas G. Williams, secretary; Lewis Wilson, S. D.; Alfas Bass, J. D.; Franklin Dickson, tyler; Ed James, senior steward, S. J. Peters, junior steward, trustee, J. H. Roberts, John W. Brown, John Ridley.

The Chicago Interior, a weekly publication issued at Chicago, recently contained a Thanksgiving story from the pen of Miss May Stockbridge, of St. Louis. The young lady has a bright future in the literary world, and although quite young in years she already has an income from her writings. Miss May is the daughter of J. William Stockbridge and a granddaughter of N. P. Stockbridge, the ex-bookseller, of this city.

It was a refined audience that filled the parlors of Mrs. L. Webb Banister's school of music, on West Wayne street, last evening, to hear the program as published in The Sentinel last evening. The numbers were rendered in a manner to impress the listeners with the merits of good training. It would be difficult to give special credit to any of those participating in the exercises, but The Sentinel cannot forbear mentioning the numbers of Misses Lulu Lowry, Charlotte Lowry, May Hilliard, Helen Wood, Euretta Banister and Maxie Sickey. These young ladies were exceptionally fine in the numbers assigned them.

The Twelve gave one of the pleasant events of the season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welling last evening, Miss Mary Wells entertaining and Mrs. Clark Fairbank assisting. A uniquely served dinner and impromptu musicale were delights of the evening. Among those present were: Misses Nora, Alice and Agnes Hamilton, Mary Randall, Lillie Pyke, Louise Robertson, Gertrude Lanbach, Helen Moffat, Grace Woodward, Kate MacDougal, Jennie Nindle and Messrs. Robert Millard, Irwin Randall, J. Ross McCulloch, Frank B. Taylor, B. F. Harper, G. G. Detzer, Seymour D. Boyd, M. E. Fay, Charles Kuhne, W. H. Shambaugh, John Dougall, Edward White, M. A. Brannan and E. P. Lord.

The last day for paying Natural Gas bills without penalty will strike you tomorrow.

The town of Hammond again talks of waterworks.

KNOCKED OUT BY FACTS.

Story of a Scandal and Elopement That Was Built on Fiction.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 8.—In the wreck near Evansville, Miss., on Saturday George Marr and Anna Holmes were among the injured. A Waterbury, Conn., dispatch weaves a wonderful romance around these two, all because two people of the same names had an escapade there. The Waterbury Miss Holmes is described as the "star of a theatrical company, a very ladylike person of thirty," and the Waterbury man deserted his wife and five children to elope with her. Alas for the romancer. Marr is about seventy years old and lives in St. Louis and Anna Holmes is a coal black negress of forty-five or so, weighs about three hundred pounds and has lived here all her life.

The best medical authorities say the proper way to treat catarrh is to take a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Connersville News yearns for new buildings.

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Arrive	EAST BOUND.	Depart
No. 20—12 35 pm		12 40 pm
*No. 22—2 45 pm		2 50 pm
*No. 8—7 45 pm		7 55 pm
*No. 2—8 00 pm		8 00 pm
*No. 4—6 00 am		6 15 am
No. 30 Crestline Accommodation		7 10 am
†No. 40—1 55 am from Chicago		
No. 38—10 20 pm from Chicago		
No. 48—8 40 am from Plymouth		

Arrive	WEST BOUND.	Depart
*No. 5—5 10 am		5 45 am
No. 1—11 55 am		12 15 pm
*No. 21—10 55 am		11 05 am
*No. 9—5 00 pm		5 05 pm
†No. 7—5 15 pm		5 25 pm
*No. 3—1 35 am		1 45 am
No. 37—Chicago Accommodation		7 30 am
No. 41—Plymouth Accommodation		4 00 pm
No. 35—5 45 pm from Crestline		

*Daily. †Daily except Monday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

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Trains leave Warsaw going north.	Trains leave Wabash going south.
No. 1, 4:05 p m	No. 2, 11:55 p m
No. 3, 10:45 a m	No. 4, 7:10 p m
No. 5, 11:00 p m	No. 6, 7:00 a m

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TIME TABLE

FORT WAYNE. Schedule of Aug. 15, 1891.

GOING EAST.	DEPART
New York and Boston Limited, daily	5 03 am
Toledo Express, except Sunday	1 35 pm
Atlantic Express, daily	5 05 pm
Local Freight	5 50 am

GOING WEST.	DEPART
Pacific Express, daily	3 48 am
Kansas City Express, except Sunday	1 40 pm
Lafayette Accom'n, except Sunday	2 30 pm
St. Louis Limited, daily	6 17 pm

INDIANAPOLIS TIME CARD.

Lv. Fort Wayne.	Ar. Indianapolis.
3 48 am	10 30 am
1 40 pm	6 30 pm
Lv. Indianapolis.	Ar. Fort Wayne.
15 am	1 10 pm
1 10 pm	5 30 am
7 00 pm	4 58 am

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SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE.
No. 159, Way Freight	6 25 pm
No. 156, Cin. Express & Mail	10 25 am
No. 153, Detroit & Ind'pls Ex.	3 55 pm
NORTHWARD.	DEPART.
No. 166, Way Freight	6 40 pm
No. 157, Through Ex. & Mail	12 50 pm
No. 160, Detroit & Ind'pls Ex.	4 40 pm

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NORTH BOUND—ARRIVE FORT WAYNE.

No. 72 Passenger	Arrive 11 45 am
No. 74 Passenger	10 10 pm
No. 10 Local	4 00 pm

SOUTH BOUND LEAVE FORT WAYNE.

No. 71 Passenger	Leave 7 30 am
No. 73 Passenger	3 10 pm
No. 19 Local	5 30 pm

†Daily except Sunday. *Daily.

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GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA R. R. Time Table for Ft. Wayne, in Effect Nov. 15, '91.

GOING NORTH.

For Grand Rapids and North	2 35 pm
For Grand Rapids	7 05 am
From Richmond	6 00 pm

GOING SOUTH.

For Richmond and Cincinnati	5 40 am
From Grand Rapids	1 15 pm

*Daily between Cin. and Grand Rapids. All other trains daily except Sunday.

NICKEL PLATE. The New York, Chicago & St. Louis R.R. [Standard Time.]

	Arrive.	Depart.
Cleveland and Buff. Pass. east	1 30 pm	1 45 pm
Local Freight, east	6 05 pm	5 10 am
Chicago Passenger, west	1 40 pm	2 00 pm
Local Freight, west	6 00 pm	6 15 am

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WANTED, FOR THE UNITED STATES ARMY—Able bodied, unmarried men, between the ages of 21 and 35 years. Good pay, rations, clothing and medical attendance. Applicants must be prepared to furnish satisfactory evidence as to age, character and habits. Apply at 4th floor, Bass block, Calhoun street, Fort Wayne, Ind. jul14&d&wo

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LOST.

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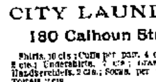

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ECHOES OF THE RAIL.

An Important Meeting of Railway Employes Soon to Take Place—Local News.

The work of patching up the breach between the railway organizations goes merrily on and the prospects are favorable towards its ultimate consummation. Notices of an important meeting of the grand officers of the railway organizations, to take place in St. Louis January 15, have been received in this city. The Toledo Bee, yesterday, said: "The object of this meeting is to consummate a federation of all railway orders. The grand officers of the consolidated Order of Railway Conductors, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Order of Railway Telegraphers will attend, and it is probable that a supreme council will be organized. The old federation was wrecked during the strike on the Chicago and Northwestern at Chicago. Trouble arose between the switchmen and trainmen at this time, and the result was the trainmen were expelled from the federation and the switchmen withdrew. This left the supreme council in a badly demoralized condition and it went from bad to worse, until there was not a semblance of the once powerful organization left. After the strike was settled and peace restored, a movement looking to the reparation of the broken ties of the old federation was set on foot. The ravages of the struggles left deep wounds, and the factions had to be handled with gloves, to prevent hostilities breaking out anew. Step by step the projectors have advanced with their cause and so soft and gentle has been their tread that the organizations themselves have been rounded up and don't know it. An important point was gained in the amalgamation of the two conductors' orders. The grand final is to be enacted on the 15th, when it is hoped that the old order of things will be resumed. The Order of Railway Conductors has a membership of 30,000; the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, 24,000; the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, 30,000, and the Order of Railroad Telegraphers, 20,000, making a total of 104,000 members to be reunited. The switchmen are still reluctant, but is is thought they will forget the old score and join hands with the new federation.

BRIEF MENTION.

Mr. Chadwich, of the electric works, is confined to his bed by sickness.

There are numerous shipments of cotton being made over the Wabash.

Frank Furnier, of the Bass foundry, suffers with boils which keep him from work.

Fireman C. A. Houser, of the Nickel Plate, has returned from a business trip to Leipsic, Ohio.

Brakeman Durban, of the Nickel Plate, is spending a vacation with some friends in the east.

M. L. Sargent, traffic manager of the Fort Scott & Memphis road, died in Kansas City Sunday.

Andy Eitzinger, a moulder at the Bass works, is at work again, after a two weeks' seige with rheumatism.

Many of our people will take advantage of the cheap rates to visit Chicago tomorrow. Both the Pittsburg and Nickel Plate advertise a $3 rate to the Windy City.

The Royal Pass company took the Pittsburg for Delphos this morning.

T. Welsh, of the Pittsburg round house, is off duty on account of sore eyes.

Fireman G. Noll, of the Pittsburg, who was on the sick list, is at work again.

J. P. Disser, an upholsterer, has taken a position in the Pittsburg car shops.

T. C. Beals, of the Pittsburg round house, is on duty again, having recovered from a sickness.

Fireman J. Cull, of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, has reported for duty after a brief absence.

H. F. Schroeder, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, has been sick and off duty for several days.

The Lake Shore company is putting in a new turn table in their yards in the north part of the city.

On account of the illness of his wife, Fireman G. H. Brown, of the Pittsburg, is unable to take his run out.

T. P. Donahue, of the Pittsburg round house, is at work again after an absence on account of a lame hand.

The Lake Shore road last week placed an order with Barney, Smith & Co for twenty-five first-class passenger coaches.

The railroad telegraphers, division No. 174, are arranging for a grand festive occasion at Logansport on New Year's eve.

General Superintendent Watt passed through the city last evening enroute to Chicago. His private car, No. 202, was attached to train No. 3.

L. L. Fitch, the heavy weight Lake Shore passenger conductor, has resumed his run after a week's absence on account of injuries received in a fall.

A printers union is to be organized in Wabash this week. The list of charter members numbers forty-two journeymen and includes every printer in that city.

The Pennsylvania company has contracted with the Baldwin locomotive works for five heavy locomotives of the compound type, to be delivered next month.

Thomas McNearney, of the riveting gang in the Pittsburg car shops, is off duty nursing a lame foot. A heavy iron fell upon it yesterday, crushing the big toe.

Engineer Larimore, Fireman Hartman and Brakeman Harry Lacy, of the Nickel Plate, are off duty this week. The two former are sick, while the latter is taking a vacation.

Engineer J. Shelley, of the Pittsburg, who was laying off to attend to some private business, has resumed his run. Engineer A. Sine, off for the same business, has also returned to work.

Work on the fifty stock cars now under construction in the Pittsburg car shops is greatly interfered with by the delay in the arrival of some of the timber necessary for their construction.

Charles Conkling, who has been visiting several weeks in the city, left yesterday for Chicago, where he will resume his old position with the Chicago and Indiana coal road. Mr. Conkling is an engineer. The strike of the miners in the Brazil mines so crippled business on his road that he was laid off for some time.

Tomorrow the employes in the following works will receive their monthly salaries: Bass Foundry and Machine, Fleming Manufacturing, Peters Box and Lumber, Fort Wayne Furniture, Indiana Machine, Horton and the Kerr Murray.

The watchman at the Hanna street crossing let the gates down on a horse and buggy last evening. The horse became frightened and in his efforts to get loose the buggy top was torn off and the gate broken. The driver escaped injury.

The suit for damages of Mrs. George C. Cummings vs. the Panhandle railroad was compromised at Logansport yesterday, the company paying the plaintiff $4,000. Mrs. Cummings sued the company for $10,000 for the death of her husband.

The bursting of a blast pipe in the furnace of John Slater, the Pittsburg blacksmith, yesterday caused some excitement among the workmen for a few minutes. The explosion was terrific and instantly filled the room full of dust and smoke.

Emanuel Parks, who will be remembered by many Fort Wayne people as engineer of the steamer at Rome City, has resigned his position as brakeman on the Fort Wayne road and will leave to take a position on the Butler division of the Wabash.

The railway accident at West Plains, Mo., last Monday was a horrible affair. Of the thirty-eight laborers who were in the wrecked caboose, six were killed and five more cannot recover. Not one man escaped injury, though many of them were only slightly hurt.

The employes in the mechanical department of the Chicago and Northwestern road have raised $1,500 to erect a monument to the memory of George W. Tilton, their late superintendent of motive power. No employe was allowed to contribute over one dollar.

The employes of the Panhandle shops at Logansport presented Thomas Griffith, their foreman, with a fine gold watch and chain Saturday evening. Mr. Griffith has received the appointment of general foreman of the Altoona shops and will take charge next week.

Daniel Hayes, a Chicago real estate agent, is in the city attending court. For years Mr. Hayes was one of the most popular passenger conductors on the Pittsburg road, and is known to nearly all of our citizens. He is being greeted pleasantly from all sides.

W. H. Meyers, who resigned the position of chief clerk to Agent E. S. Philley, in the Lake Shore offices in this city, has gone to Toledo where he has assumed his new position in the general office of the Lake Shore company. F. H. Starkle succeeded Mr. Meyers in the Fort Wayne office.

Harry Kilpatrick has been called to Elkhart to undergo an examination for promotion. At present he is firing on a passenger engine between this city and Jackson, but is to be promoted to engineer and will have a freight run. Formerly he fired a switch engine for his father in the Lake Shore yards in this city.

The Kansas City *Journal* estimated the other day that fully $90,000,000 were left in Europe every year by American travelers. The Chicago *Inter Ocean* places the sum at $103,000,000. It only serves to emphasize the fact that Americans had better do a little more traveling at home. It would have no little influence in stimulating all classes of business in the country.

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The Nickel Plate will have another cheap excursion to Chicago at the extreme low rate of $3 for the round trip. This excursion will be accompanied by the well known excursion managers Messrs J. W. Butler and son. This in itself is enough to insure a pleasant time to all taking advantage of the above low rates. Excursion train leaves Nickel Plate depot at 2 p. m., December 10, tickets good returning until December 14. For further information, time cards and your railroad tickets, call on or address M. J. Blitz, city ticket agent of the New York Central and St. Louis railroad, 71 Calhoun street, Fort Wayne, Ind., or at depot. 7-3t

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JAMES D. LEWIS—Drug store, 434 Calhoun street corner DeWald; telephone, No. 290.
MARTIN H. WEIBEL—Drug store, 314 Hanna street; telephone No. 249.

On December 15 the secretaries of the different trotting associations of the state will meet at Indianapolis to arrange a spring and summer circuit. The places represented will be Columbus, Cambridge City, Rushville, Richmond, Fort Wayne, Evansville, Peru and Kokomo, and all except Peru and Columbus have mile tracks. Indianapolis, having no track, will not be "in it." The circuit will probably last from April to August.

Christopher Fox, the barber, fell from a step ladder while fixing up the shop at 241 Barr street, in which he intends to move his business. His right arm was fractured at the elbow, and he will be unable to handle the razor for several weeks. He is lying at his home, 72 Ohio street.

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$2.95.

We positively guarantee these Rockers to be as well made as any $10 Rocker, as this price is less than actual cost. We would suggest to those that contemplate being the happy owner of one to call at once, as this sale is limited to 200.

If you do not care to have them delivered at once we will hold them till Christmas. No more than one rocker will be sold to each buyer, as we want them to be in 200 homes to be remembered by.

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We have a line of $10.00 Suits that Will surprise you. There are lots of them and are now ready for you.

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At all prices, from 50c to $7 a suit; heavy or light weight.

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Messrs. Clark and Piepenbrink have leased the room No. 4 in the Arcade where they will conduct a cigar and tobacco business.

Elmer B. Robinson, of the Wayne hotel parlors, returned yesterday from Grand Rapids where he was a delegate to the International Barbers association convention. Mr. Robinson was elected second vice-president of the association.

Colonel and Mrs. Rogall, of Ada, O., arrived yesterday to be in attendance at the wedding of their daughter, Miss Anna Rogall and Mr. Darwin Root, which is solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Bash today.

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And Cold Weather usually travel together and you have barely time to prepare to meet them.

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Sam, Pete & Max.

Fort Wayne Sentinel.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 9, 1891

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—For Indiana: Fair, slightly warmer, southwesterly winds.

FRESH LOCAL ITEMS.

L. B. Root of New York, is registered at the Wayne.

Dr. F. L. Sarr ... at his office today with ... knee.

Mrs. Anna Zimmerman, of Baker street, is sick with la grippe.

Judge Woodfull of Angola attended the United States court today.

Miss Rebecca Strauss has returned from a several weeks visit at Decatur.

The Emmett dramatic club will rehearse "Falsely Accused" this evening.

... of this city is registered at Willard's hotel, Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Fred Eckert ... has recovered from a several days ... knee with the grip.

Mrs. E. D. Schoiman, of East Williams street, entertained at cards last evening.

J. J. Logan, the stenographer, took the official proceedings of the United States court.

Dr. Christian Winters, of Wallen, Ind., was in the city this week, visiting medical friends.

Mrs. T. J. Logan has returned from a few weeks visit among friends at Warsaw and Pierceton.

D. N. Foster is at Jackson, Mich., on business. Mr. Foster contemplates taking a trip south soon.

Health Officer Metcalf and Turnkey Lindsay took Meyers and Amoss, the insane patients, to Richmond today.

The Y. L. C. club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Stella Snyder, 425 East Washington street.

The Literary Advocate, published in the interest of Taylor university library, will be out about December 19.

Regular meeting of the ladies auxiliary to the railroad department Y. M. C. A. Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

A joint institute was held at the Maysville high school Saturday, by the school teachers of Cedar Creek and Springfield townships.

Rupert Strasser, of this city, has applied for a patent on a motor for a revolving fan. Mr. Strasser was employed for a long time at the Bass works.

Councilman Baltz presided at the meeting of the common council last evening, Mayor Zollinger being unable to be present on account of sickness.

The library at Taylor university is getting to be too small for the number of students using it. More ample quarters will have to be provided soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Redelsheimer and infant son, Walter, from Memphis, are expected in the city this week, to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rothschild.

Railroad department Y. M. C. A. cottage meeting this evening at the residence of Mr. William Littlejohn, No. 19 Poplar street. You are cordially invited.

The feeble minded institute yesterday drew $1,043.95 from the state treasury with which to make a partial payment on the new industrial building now in construction.

The meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary of the First Presbyterian church, which was to have been held next Friday afternoon, has been postponed for one week.

David McKay, of the Brookside stock farm, went to Bluffton this morning to remove to his farm the Galloway cattle he recently purchased of W. B. Simmons, the Bluffton stave man.

Yesterday Dr. Walter Langtry received the sad intelligence of the critical illness of his mother, who is at Walkerton, Ont., on a visit. The Langtry homestead is near Toronto, Canada.

The Huntington Democrat says: "Miss Daisy Levy has returned from her short visit at Fort Wayne and was accompanied by Miss Rose Nathan, who will be the guest of Miss Daisy for a few days."

Train No. 9, on the Fort Wayne road will this evening have among its passengers two bridal couples bound for Chicago. They are Mr. and Mrs. Darwin S. Root and Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Gumpper.

The benefit to be given to the orchestra of the Second Presbyterian church on December 10 promises to be one of the finest musical entertainments of the season as much of the best musical talent of the city has been engaged for it.

Last Sunday the First Christian church at Dunfee, Ind., was dedicated to God. The services were conducted by Rev. J. J. Colden, who delivered a sermon that held the audience present interested listeners until the close. At the close the money was raised by subscription for the completion of the church.

The following election of officers has taken place in the Wayne commandery, No. 115, R. C. U. K., of St. John: President, Frank Brucker; vice president, Joseph F. Miller; secretary, J. J. Kohrman; treasurer, Edward Nolte; captain, Joseph Kopp; first lieutenant, Fred Lank; second lieutenant, John Nolte; orderly sergeant, J. J. Kohrman; second sergeant, Charles Michaels; color sergeant, Ed Gruber.

The attraction at the Masonic Temple tomorrow night is "The Soap Bubble." The Cincinnati Enquirer says of it: "'You must laugh.' 'It's a matter of compulsion, not inclination,' was the remark made by a crowd of ladies as the large audience was leaving Havlin's theatre yesterday, and almost every face was wreathed in smiles after the performance of 'A Soap Bubble.' The humor of this successful farce-comedy seemed to affect everybody, and at times the applause was so loud that it could be heard a block away, and continued so for several minutes."

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Root are in the city.

Capt. E. J. ... will drill ... Commandery this evening at Library hall.

Theodore Haberkorn has been summoned to Cincinnati on business relating to his at brake.

The Christmas market at Trinity parish house will open at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Michael Dowson, of ... father of Conductor Dawson, is lying at the point of death of paralysis. The sick man has been ... for ... two ... days.

P. A. Randall has ... from C. W. Seavey stating that the Nebraska relief for the sufferers in the Colorado ... Mr. Seavey is now at Colorado Springs.

Rev. S. A. Kerr, D. D., of Galion, Ohio, an evangelist, arrived this afternoon and will conduct the revival meetings at the Berry street M. E. church. He ... daily and ... evening.

Professor Potter ... of Delmonico band and one of the finest clarionet soloists in this country, has been engaged to play a clarionet solo at the Second Presbyterian church concert tomorrow evening.

The art department of Taylor university will open a night class commencing with the new year, in mechanical and ornamental drawing, for the benefit of the teachers in public schools, mechanics in the different shops, cabinet makers and others.

BUNGLING BURGLARS.

Grocery Stores of A. Kalbacher and George Beckman Broken Into—Work of Green Hands.

Burglars whose experience would not find them a place among the professional clan, broke into two home houses last night, without, however, meeting in much remuneration for their pains. The robbers barely escaped arrest. They first broke in a window at the rear of A. Kalbacher's Grand street grocery and getting access to the building proceeded to search the cash drawer. They found $1.50 cents in small change. This, with a box of "Pony" cigars was all the thieves took. They next broke into the grocery of George Beckman, at the corner of Buchanan and Force streets, where they were preparing to blow the safe when they were discovered by Fred Fuerch, a night caller for the Fort Wayne road. He notified Policeman Murphy, who promptly telephoned the particulars to the police station. Chief Wilkinson and a posse were soon on the scene, but the burglars, taking the alarm, fled and escaped. Upon investigation the officers found that the knob of the safe had been knocked off. A fuse inserted in the aperture indicated that the fellows were about to blow the safe door when they were discovered. The tools left behind consisted of an old monkey-wrench and two large chisels, plainly showing that the men were not professionals in the business.

A GRAND ARRAY.

The Talent That Will Take Part in the Concert Tomorrow Night.

The following program will be rendered at the Second Presbyterian church tomorrow evening, the proceeds to be given to the church orchestra. It is hoped that it will be liberally patronized by all those who have hitherto and expect yet to enjoy the services of the orchestra.

Orchestra	Storm King
Piano duet	Selected
Mrs. Chas. McCulloch and Miss Henry Schneider.	
Piccolo solo	Jasie Polka
Mr. Harry Tarman.	
Vocal duet	Gounaud
The Misses Schofers.	
Mandolin solo	Flower song
Harry Mannbester—F. Mack, accompanist.	
Piano duet	Hunting March
Grace and Willie Thompson.	
Violin solo	Miss Lillian Mathis
Orchestra	Trombone polka, Fiedler
Vocal solo	Selected
Mr. Wm. Bash.	
Piano solo	Selected
Miss Siboal.	
Violin trio	Geo. Wichtl
Misses Lillian Schrader, Gracie Berton and May Miller.	
Solo—Pelemstripium Mingrit	Thomas
Miss Schotley.	
Clarionet solo	Grand Fantasia
Professor Pelgast.	
Piano solo	
....Wagner Liszt, Ricnzi Aria Tanhauser	
Miss Schloirs.	
Orchestra, closing	Selected

NEEDLESS ALARM.

A Report That Mayor Zollinger is Critically Ill is Unfounded.

Somebody set a rumor afloat this morning that Mayor C. A. Zollinger, who has been confined to his home by sickness several days, had grown suddenly worse during the night, and was in a critical condition. A SENTINEL reporter promptly investigated. Dr. A. J. Laubach, the attending physician, said: "There is nothing in the report. Mayor Zollinger will be able to resume his official duties within a few days, as he is steadily on the mend. He has been suffering from the grippe, and I have no apprehension that he will have any relapse."

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

Opening of an Interesting Session of Tillers of the Soil.

The Allen county farmers' institute convened at the circuit court room at 9 o'clock this morning with President J. D. Reed presiding and W. A. Kelsey in the secretary's chair. On account of the sickness of Mayor Zollinger, Judge O'Rourke delivered the address of welcome. Among the speakers today was Hon. J. A. Mount, of Montgomery county. The session this evening will include an address by Judge O'Rourke. Everybody is urged to attend the meeting. It will be an evening well spent.

The Czar Pleased With the Situation.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 9.—During the course of a banquet yesterday, after noon, at which the czar presided, in honor of the feast of St. George, he referred to the situation of affairs in Europe and said he was greatly pleased with it, because it was entirely of a pacific character.

New Orleans Molasses—Fresh Shipment Direct from New Orleans.

Choice N. O. Molasses, 50c gallon; best, 60c.

New Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Extra quality Boiled cider, 80c gal.

New sweet Cider, 20c gallon.

FRED HOFER.

Save discount by paying Natural Gas bills tomorrow.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Wheat, No. 2 red winter, $1.06; cash, Dec. $1.06; Jan. $1.06; May $1.09.

Corn, No. 2 mixed, 66c cash; Dec. 66; Jan. 57.

Oats, No. 2 mixed, 43 1/2c; Dec. 41; Jan. 40.

Rye, more active; easier; $1.00 1.01; whole range.

Barley, in light request; No. 2 Milwaukee, 75@77.

Sugar, refined quiet; cut loaf and crushed 5c; granulated, ...; mould A, 4c.

Coffee, steady; Fair Rio cargoes ....

Pork quiet; new mess, $7.75@8.50.

Lard quiet; Jan. $6.50; Feb. $6.60.

Butter steady; western extra 26@29c.

Cheese dull; Ohio factory, full ...

Eggs dull and primes; Eastern ... western 26@27.

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Dec. 9.—Cattle receipts, 20,000; weak and lower. Hogs receipts, 35,000; weak and 10c lower; heavy, $1.75@4.00; mixed and medium, $3.75@4.00; light ..., Sheep receipts, 7,000; steady.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Closing: Hogs ... Wheat, Dec. ... May, 98c. Corn, Dec. ... Jan. ... May, ... Oats, Dec. ... Jan. ... May, ... Pork, Dec. ... Jan. $11.07; May $11.55. Lard, Jan. $6.12; May, $6.... Ribs, Jan. $5.47; May $5.85.

Flour Reduced 25c Barrel.

Hams Down to Pound.

Country Mills Flour $1.25 bbl.

Buckwheat Flour, 12 1/2c sacks ...

Good Jay Butter 17c lb.

Best Sugar Cured Hams 10c lb.

Picnic Hams 8c lb.

Choice Potatoes 48c bushel.

Best Florida Oranges, 25c doz.

Sweet Russett Oranges, 15c doz.

FRITZ HOREST.

Get your old carpets made over into handsome rugs. Where? At Abel Hacklander's, corner of Wells and Superior streets, near Wells street bridge. 6-lm

Call at Jacobs & Conkling, 210 Calhoun street, opposite Rich hotel, for bargains in musical instruments. Pianos and organs on monthly payments. See the Wheelock piano, finest piano in the market for the money. 9-cod tf

Excursion to Chicago via Pennsylvania Lines.

On Thursday, Dec. 10th, excursion tickets to Chicago will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines at $3.00 for round trip from Fort Wayne. Tickets will be good returning until Dec. 14th inclusive.

You are invited to the Great Keystone Cheap Cash Grocery on Friday and Saturday, December 11th and 12th, of this week, to witness the preparing and baking of Mince Pie from None Such Condensed Mince Meat, which will be served without charge. This is a treat. Be sure and come to

J. D. GUMPPER,

210 Calhoun street.

Special Sale at the 5 and 10 Cent Store, Tuesday, December 11. See our 10 cent Window. New I. O. O. F. Block, 91 Calhoun street.

The last day for paying Natural Gas bills without penalty will strike you tomorrow.

Don't forget that Rev. Sam W. Small's latest, greatest work, "The White Angel of the World," is just from the press. A book of thrilling, absorbing interest, a powerful factor in the grand temperance movement of the age and a White Angel to every home that gives it a welcome. A magnificent gift book. By subscription only. Drop a card with street and number, and I will call with prospectus.

J. V. GUMAN, Agent.

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For a short time only eighteen pictures for 25 cents at the Gem gallery, No. 216 Calhoun street. 8-2t

Lincoln tea, "once tried, used always." A trial will prove its great superiarity. Sold by all druggists.

SPECIAL SALE

You can save 20 percent at Ward's China Store.

No. 8 West Columbia St.

Six solid silver Tea Spoons only $5.00

1847 Roger Bro's Silver Knives, Forks and Spoons

New China

New Dinner Sets,

New Lamps

New Cut Glass,

New Bronze

20 per cent. Saved at Ward's China Store, No. 8 West Columbia St.

HOLIDAY GIFTS!

We have a magnificent assortment of appropriate gifts. They are all pretty and desirable, such as Umbrellas, Silk Suspenders, Fine Linen Handkerchiefs, Gentlemen's Neckwear in the latest and most elegant designs, Dress Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, Hats and Caps and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Now is the time to select Smoking Jackets and Night Robes for Holiday Gifts. Always have the ... assortment so large and varied as now. Also a special line of Ladies' Fine Embroidered Handkerchiefs which are unquestionably the finest shown in the city.

MEYER & NIEMANN,

112 CALHOUN STREET.

Closing Out Sale!

AT

Mergentheim's Bazaar,

First and Third Floors.

Further Sweeping Reduction

Of Prices on

Dry Goods, Cloaks, Jackets, and Holiday Goods.

Mr. Goodman Retiring From the Business, Stock Most be Closed Out by January 15th.

Cloak Department.

Ladies black reefer jackets, fine garments, valued $6.00, reduced to $3.75

Ladies' black reefer jackets, wool astrachan roll collar and front, valued $6.00, reduced to $3.75

Ladies, diagonal reefer jackets, full Coney roll front, valued at $12.00 reduced to $7.50

Ladies and Misses fine tan beaver jackets, trimmed in crushed plush, valued $12.00, reduced to $8.00

Ladies' tan reefer jackets, extra fine, opossum roll collar, valued $16, reduced to $11. Everything else in jackets at prices less than manufacturer's cost.

SHAWLS AT COST.

Also big reduction in misses and children's coats. The prices are marked down to close them out. If you want a ladies' newmarket you can buy at your own price.

Dry Goods and Dress Goods Department.

2,000 yards heavy unbleached muslin, 4c

2,000 yards heavy canton Flannel, 4c

2,000 yards extra heavy cloth canton Flannel, value 12 1/2, at 8c.

2,000 yards dusting Gingham, at 4c.

2,000 yards apron Gingham, best goods, 6 1/2c.

1,000 yards twilled cretonnes, value 8c, now 6 1/2c

All our best dress calicoes, regular price 7c, reduced to 4c

BEST QUALITY OF FELT 72 inches wide, value $1.20, reduced to $1.00

Our all wool Dress Goods are going at **Fabulously Low Prices.**

Underwear for Ladies, Gents and Children put Down Below Cost.

YARNS

At about half what you must pay anywhere else.

MUFFS AND FURS.

Black Hare Muffs, 50c quality, 37c

Black Coney Muffs, 50c quality, 4c

Black Coney Muffs, $1.00 quality, 75c

French Seal Muffs worth $2.39, now $1.65

Opossum Muffs, fine quality, regular price $2.50, at $1.98

Children's White Hare Muffs and Collars, worth $1.50 a set, now 79c

Fur Capes at almost half price.

HOLIDAY GOODS—DOLLS BELOW COST.

Handsome plush collar and cuff boxes, regular price $1 a set, reduced to 75c.

Handsome plush collar and cuff boxes, regular price $1.75 a set, reduced to $1.25.

Beautifully finished natural wood collar and cuff boxes, satin lined, regular price $2.00, now $1.50

Beautifully finished natural wood glove and handkerchief boxes, satin lined, regular price $3 a set, now $1.25.

Plush toilet sets, handsome celluloid fittings, regular price 98c, at 75c.

Plush toilet sets, handsome celluloid fittings, regular price $1.48, at $1.12.

Plush toilet sets, handsome celluloid fittings, regular price $2.50, at $1.89.

Plush toilet sets, handsome celluloid fittings, regular price $1.69, at $3.25

Children's work boxes, plush whisk broom holders, sets of nut picks, jewel cases, bric-a-brac of all kinds, 50 per cent less than you can buy elsewhere.

UMBRELLAS.

A large stock, new styles of handles, a reduction of from 33 1/3 to 50 per cent. below regular prices.

All Other Stock Throughout the First and Third Floors we are Closing Out at Equally Low Prices, including Lace and Chenille Curtains, Comfortables, Blankets and Cotton Batting.

If you want to take advantage of this sale don't delay—Come before the best is picked out.

Mergentheim's Bazaar,

Northwest Corner Main and Calhoun Streels,

FORT WAYNE, - - - - INDIANA.

Come and See Our Grand Display of

Holiday + Presents!

Our Beautiful line comprises everything New, Useful and Ornamental in Books, Fancy Goods, Novelty Pictures and Picture Frames.

SIEMON - & - BROTHER,

50 Calhoun Street.

DO YOU WANT JEWELRY?

If you contemplate purchasing anything in our line, don't put it off until the last moment. Our stock now is Large and Complete and the assortment excellent. Those who come first naturally get the first selections and the cream of the bargains. We offer our goods at the lowest prices to be found anywhere.

F. J. VOIROL,

244 CALHOUN STREET.

FORT WAYNE FRUIT STORE,

Wholesale & Retail.

Will open Saturday, Dec. 12,

At No. 16 Calhoun Street.

GEO. DONDARO, Prop.

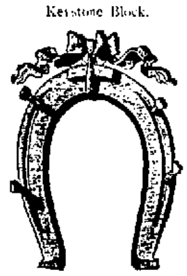
Will open with a full line of Foreign and Domestic fruits, Candy and Nuts of all kinds.

I will sell lower than anyone during the Holidays, and invite you all to call and get my prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Remember the Place,

16 CALHOUN ST.,

Keystone Block.



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BARNEY & BERRY SKATES.

Large Assortment and Low Prices, at

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Office hours for consultation, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Sundays, 9 to 12. Office, No. 15 West Main Street, Fort Wayne, Ind. Special attention paid to chronic diseases.

Stewart & Hahn.

Our stock of Dress Goods has not been so complete at any time this season as at present.

We have kept right on purchasing whatever appeared good for us and good for our customers.

In these common sense times a dress pattern is more appreciated as a gift than an ornament at double the cost, and it is surprising what a very little money will buy in the Dress Goods line at the BOSTON STORE.

New Gimps and Dress Trimming received during the week.

The Handkerchief Department, as usual, presents such a magnificent variety of American, Irish, Swiss and Japanese goods as to be almost bewildering. You can find cotton, linen and silk handkerchiefs, plain, hemstitched, embroidered, revered, scolloped, etc., etc., at prices to suit every pocket-book.

The beautiful Camel Hair Spot Eiderdown is selling rapidly for infants' cloaks. This makes a very acceptable present at a trifling cost.

New Toys for the Children. Come and see them. You will find something to suit you.

New Damask Towels in a great variety of styles, from 25c to $1.25 each. Table Cloths and and Hemstitched Napkins and Tray Cloths, Chenille Spreads and Curtains, all purchased expressly for holiday trade.

Everybody invited to come and inspect our stock before the lines are broken.

Stewart & Hahn

THE BOSTON STORE,

28 CALHOUN STREET,

Strictly One Price Cash Store.

E. KRAMER,

SIGN PAINTER.

90 EAST MAIN STREET.

Finest and Best work. Cheapest place in the city. 18-1t

GROSS & PELLENS,

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Solicit Your Prescription Trade.

WE + SAVE + YOU + MONEY.

Use only the Purest Drugs and Chemicals. Keep a varied stock equal to large city stores, and compound prescriptions, personally. References: Every physician in the city.

DRUG STORE,

Cor. Wayne and Calhoun Streets.

Headquarters for Perfumes and Holiday Goods.

"THE SPOT CASH GROCERY."

MENU.

WE submit the following seasonable goods, which we have collected from every habitable part of the EARTH, and feel assured that those who are fortunate enough to partake of this "MENU" would surely enjoy the blessings of the Season:—

SOUPS.

Clam Bouillon. Maggi Bouillon. Mock Turtle. Chicken. Pea. Tomato. Beef. Ox Tail. Consomme. Clam Chowder.

FISH.

S. Rao & Co., Leghorn, Italy, Finest Sublime Lucca Olive Oil. Clover-Leaf Salmon. Brook Trout. Columbia Steak Salmon. National Salmon. Fresh Oysters. Lobsters. Crosse & Blackwell's Yarmouth Bloaters. Shrimps. Kippered Herring. Norway Bloaters. Mackerel. Sardines. Cove Oysters. Deviled Crabs. Little Neck Clams. Caviar.

VEGETABLES.

Asparagus. Asparagus Tips. Lima Beans. String Beans. Richelieu Corn. Batavia Corn. Gensee E. J. Peas. Gensee Marrowfat Peas. Duma's "Petits Pois" Peas. Emiline's French Peas. Cavey's Capers. Lazenby's Capers. Emiline's Mushrooms. Batavia Tomatoes. Dasey Tomatoes. Gordon & Dilworth Stewed Tomatoes. Winebrenner Pumpkin.

FRUITS.

Emiline's Olives. Pitted Olives. Queen Olives. Stuffed Olives. Flickinger's Apricots. Flickinger's Peeled Apricots. Flickinger's Pears. Flickinger's Green Gages. Flickinger's Yellow Crawford Peaches. Flickinger's Gold Drop Plums. Flickinger's Egg Plums. Flickinger's Lemon Cling Peaches. Flickinger's Queen Anne White and Black Cherries. Richards & Robbin's Sugared and Yellow Crawford Peaches. Batavia Sliced and Grated Pineapple. Seven Crown Cluster Malaga Raisins. Karaborna Sultana Seedless Raisins. Emiline's French Prunes. Emiline's Lemon Peel and Orange Peel. Seven Crown Layer Figs. Leghorn Citron.

NUTS.

Brazils. Taragona Almonds. Naples Walnuts. Polished Pecans. Shelled Jordon Almonds. Shelled Valencia Almonds. Sicily Filberts. Mixed Nuts.

CIGARS.

Albert Edward, Finest Imported Cigars.

Flor DeUpman, " "

Bouquet Private,

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